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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b> <small>Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)</small>	Attorney Docket No.	105967.00625
	First Inventor or Application Identifier	Chad R. Smith
	Title	Method For Evening Tension in a Twisted Pair Electric Cable

<b>APPLICATION ELEMENTS</b> <small>See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents</small>	<b>ADDRESS TO:</b> Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application Washington, DC 20231
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<b>1.</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17) (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)	<b>ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS</b> <b>9.</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) <b>10.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee) <b>11.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> English Translation Document (if applicable) <b>12.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure <input type="checkbox"/> Copies of IDS Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations <b>13.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment <b>14.</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> White Advance Serial No. Postcard <b>15.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) <b>16.</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent. <b>17.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
<b>2.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. <small>See 37 CFR 1.27</small>	
<b>3.</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification Total Pages 13	
<b>4.</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets 8	
<b>5.</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oath or Declaration Total Pages 2 <b>a.</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy) <b>b.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d)) (for continuation / divisional w/ box 16 completed) <b>i.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).	
<b>6.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)	
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<b>10.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76	

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☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application no.:


Prior application information: Examiner: Group Art Unit:

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered a part of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

**19.** Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

☐ This application is a ☐ Continuation ☐ Division ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)  
of application Serial No. Filed on

☐ This application claims priority of provisional application Serial No. Filed

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

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First Named Inventor Chad R. Smith  
Examiner Name New Application  
Group / Art Unit New Application  
Attorney Docket No. 105967.00625

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Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17  
☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	740.00
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1)

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

			Extra Claims		Fee from below		Fee Paid
Total Claims	8	-20**	=	0	X	\$18	= \$0
Independent Claims	3	-3**	=	0	X	\$84	= \$0
Multiple Dependent							

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee for provisional applications	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40.00
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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**NONPUBLICATION REQUEST  
UNDER  
35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

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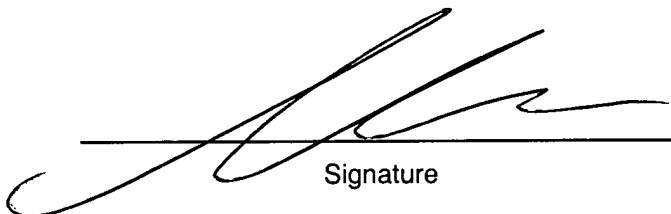
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I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

February 8, 2002

Date

  
Signature

Michael C. Greenbaum

Typed or printed name

This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application **upon filing**.

Applicant may rescind this nonpublication request at any time. If applicant rescinds a request that an application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b), the application will be scheduled for publication at eighteen months from the earliest claimed filing date for which a benefit is claimed.

If applicant subsequently files an application directed to the invention disclosed in the attached application in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications eighteen months after filing, the applicant **must** notify the United States Patent and Trademark Office of such filing within forty-five (45) days after the date of filing of such foreign or international application. **Failure to do so will result in abandonment of this application (35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(iii)).**